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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's Decision, in the official Action dated October 22, 2002, finally rejecting claims 1-4, 6-8, 01/13/2003 BALLXRAD 00000003 1771571963 EALTXARD 0400002 and 15-20.

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The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- (1) This response is being filed within the third [X] month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a three-month extension of time. A check covering the extension fee of \$930.00 is enclosed.
- (2) [X] Notice of Appeal Fee Under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e): \$320.00
 - [X] Enclosed
 - Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal) []
- Please charge any additional fees incurred by (3) [X] reason of this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.
- (4)[X] An Oral Hearing is requested. (Two additional copies of the Notice are enclosed herewith).

Respectfully submitted,

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